Power Shortage in Arunachal Pradesh

2177. SHRI NYODEK YONGGAM: Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware that the magnitude of power shoratge is being experienced by each state including Arunachal Pradesh;

(b) whether Government are also aware of the acute power shortages at Pasighat, East Siang District of Arunachal Pradesh; and

(c) if so, what steps are proposed to be taken by Govenrment to improve the power position at Pasighat or Arunachal Pradesh?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRI P. V. RANGAYYA NAIDU): (a) and (b) During the period, April, 1993 January, 1994, the Statewise percentage energy shortage in the country is given in the enclosed statement. (See below). The district of Pasighat and East siang are including in Arunachal Pradesh.

(c) In order to improve the power availability in Arunachal Pradesh (including Pasighat), it is proposed to add 10.30 MW capactiy in State Sector and 270 MW capacity in Central Sector in Arunachal Pradesh during the 8th Plan period. In addition to their aliocated share of 11 MW, Arunachal Pradesh is also getting 10 per cent from the unallocated power of Loktak, Kopili and Khandong hydro power stations.

Various other measures being taken to improve the availability of power in Arunachal Pradesh includes improving the performance of existing stations, reduction in transmission and distribution losses, implementation of demand management and energy conservation measures etc.

Statement

Statewise percentage energy shortage during April-January, 1994

Name of the State	Percentage Energy (%) Shortage
Northern Region	
Chandigarh	0.0%
Delhi	1.6%
Haryana	10.1%
Himachal Pradesh	0.0%
Jammu & Kashmir	18.9%
Punjab	3.4%
Rajasthan	5.6%
Uttar Pradesh	10.0%
Total (N.R.)	7.1%
Western Region	
Gujarat	4.6%
Madhya Pradesh	4.9%

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Maharashtra	3.4%
Goa	8.4%
Total (W.R.)	4.1%
Southern Regions	
Andhra Pradesh	4.3%
Karnataka	22.5%
Kerala	2.2%
Tamil Nadu	3.6%
Total (S.R.)	8.6%
Eastern Region	
Bihar	34.0%
D.V.C.	10.8%
Orissa	10.5%
West Bengal	5.4%
Total (E.R.)	14.2%
North Eastern Region	
Arunachal Pradesh	33.2%
Assam	10.0%
Manipur	2.2%
Meghalaya	0.0%
Mizoram	3.5%
Nagaland	3.2%
Tripura	10.6%
N.E. Region	9.1%
All India	7.4%

Ramman Hydel Project

2178. SHRI RATNA BAHADUR RAI: Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) when was the Ramman Hydel Project started, what was is proposed capacity and what was its estimated budget;

(b) how far this project has been completed; and

(c) how long it will take for completion and commissioning and what will be the budgetary increaes at the time of completion?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRI P. V. RANGAYYA NAIDU): (a) Work on